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NH ROUTE 145 BRIDGE IN CLARKSVILLE - PITTSBURG TO BE CLOSED TEMPORARY BRIDGE WITH ONE-WAY TRAFFIC NEEDED FOR SIX MONTHS

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces the NH Route 145 bridge over the Connecticut River in Clarksville-Pittsburg will be closed to traffic on Monday, April 10, 2006 and dismantled.

Motorists will be detoured onto a temporary bridge where one-way alternating traffic will be controlled by signals for approximately six months while a new bridge is built.

Winterset Construction of Lyndonville, Vermont is the contractor for the \$2.85 million project, which as a final completion date of October 6, 2006.